Negotiated Net Amount (NNA)/Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) Contract Amendments & Data Quality Standards

Expectations and Requirements for the California Outcomes Measurement System (CalOMS)

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Contract Amendments

New requirements have been included in the Negotiated Net Amount (NNA) and Drug Medi-Cal (DMC) contracts pertaining to CalOMS.

FY 2005-2006 Requirements

- Participate in CalOMS meetings and trainings.
- Begin CalOMS treatment data collection no later than January 1, 2006.
- County/direct contract providers' systems must be tested and certified by ADP by March 1, 2006.
- Submit CalOMS treatment data for January, 2006 to ADP by March 15, 2006.

Data Submission Business Rules

- CalOMS treatment data must be submitted to ADP electronically within 45 days of the end of the report month.
- Compliance with this treatment data submission deadline is mandated in the NNA/DMC contract.

Treatment Data Quality Standards

- The NNA/DMC contracts include a requirement for counties/direct providers to comply with data quality standards.
- ADP is developing data quality standards for CalOMS treatment data.

Data Quality Standards for Treatment Data: Timeliness

- Admissions, discharges, annual updates, unmatched admissions, deletions, and resubmissions/corrections are due 45 days from the end of the calendar month in which the transaction occurred.
- ADP will monitor the number of submissions from prior report months.



- All treatment providers must be accounted for in the monthly batch files for all transaction types.
- If a provider does not have transactions to report in a given report month, a provider no activity report for that provider must be included in the monthly batch file.
- ADP will monitor for consistency in the number of transaction types reported by counties/direct providers.

Data Quality Standards for Treatment Data: Accuracy

- Limited number of errors.
- Records failing edit must be corrected in a timely manner.
- ADP is developing metrics for acceptable error rates.
- No discharge records are to be submitted without a matching admission record.

ADP Needs Data Quality Standards to:

- Ensure data received is accurate/valid.
- Produce accurate reports.
- Apply for federal funding.
- Report accurate outcome information to the Legislature.
- Document information linked to improvement of treatment services.
- Provide client and funding information for specific programs.

Counties/Providers Need Data Quality Standards to:

- Reduce workload associated with data collection and submission.
- Mitigate impact on funding allocations/ensure consistent federal/state funding levels.
- Generate outcome information that can be used to improve service delivery.
- Apply for grants/funding.

Questions